

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Reply, Application of:

Kathrin Berkner et al.

Application No.: 10/705,544

Filed: November 10, 2003

For: FEATURES FOR RETRIEVAL AND
SIMILARITY MATCHING OF
DOCUMENTS FROM THE JPEG
2000-COMPRESSED DOMAIN

Examiner: To be assigned

Art Unit: 2621

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a four (4) month extension of time, extending the period for response to October 08, 2004, from the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated April 08, 2004. One portion of the petition filing fee of \$580.00 and a Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application are attached. Applicants respectfully note that the remaining portion of the petition filing fee of \$950.00 was submitted on August 31, 2004.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on October 8, 2004.

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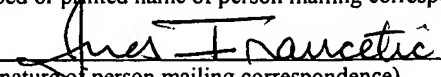
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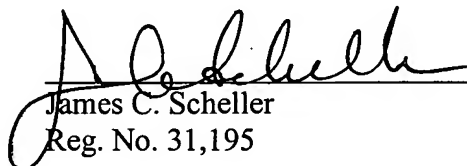
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If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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